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## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. §1.53 is the patent application of: Jon C. Sandberg, Quentin A. Turchette

Entitled: Method for Noise Cancellation by Spectral Flattening of Laser Output in a Multi-Line-Laser Instrument

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Enclosed are:

18 pages of written description, claims, abstract and certificate of mailing  
 5 sheets of drawings  
—        pages of Sequence Listing as paper copy  
—        an assignment of the invention to  
 an unexecuted declaration of the inventors and power of attorney  
— a certified copy of a                    application  
— associate power of attorney  
 Applicant Claims Small Entity Status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  
— information disclosure statement  
— preliminary amendment  
— Sequence Listing diskette, Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.824

### CLAIMS AS FILED

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Fee
BASIC FEE			\$750	\$ 750
TOTAL CLAIMS	20 - 20 =	0	x \$18	\$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6 - 3 =	3	x \$84	\$252
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT			x \$260	\$

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**TOTAL \$ 1056**

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 Other

Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 USC 120)

Applicant claims priority under 35 USC 120 to the following application(s):

Benefit of Prior U.S. Provisional Application(s) (35 USC 119(e))

Applicant claims priority under 35 USC 119(e) to the following application(s):

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Benefit of Prior Foreign Application(s) (35 USC 119)

Applicant claims priority under 35 USC 119 to the following application(s):



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